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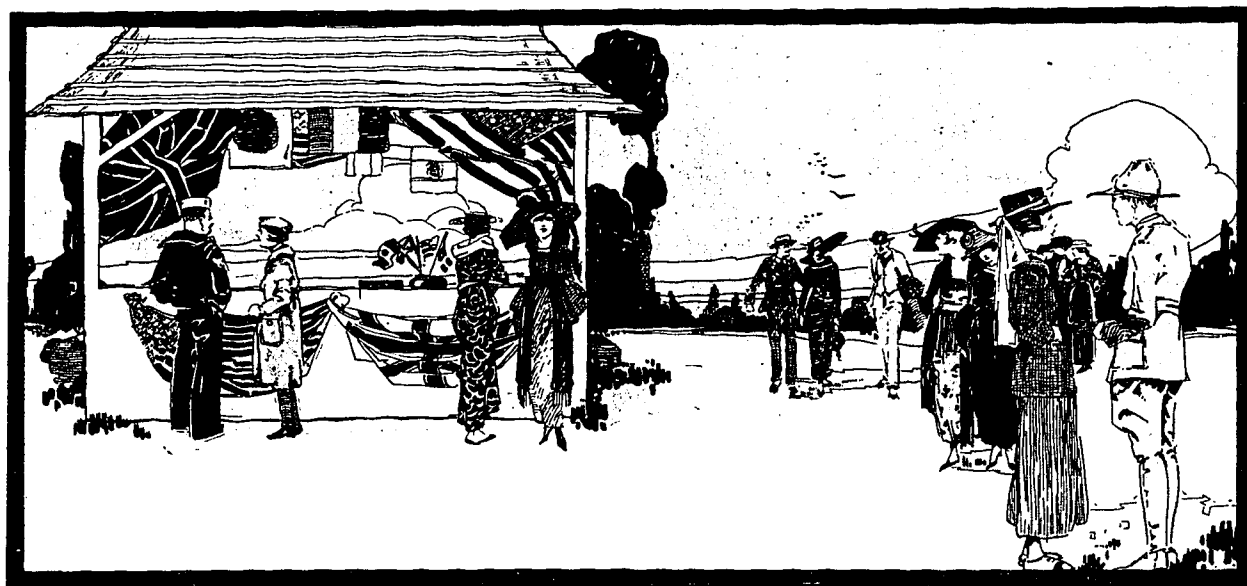
# OUR TOWN

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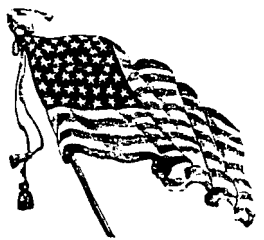
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1918

EMERGENCY PHONE CALLS  
Fire, 350  
Police, 1250



Jupiter Pluvius is politely requested to withhold all rain clouds on Friday and Saturday of this week, in the interests of the Narberth Patriotic Fete.

One of the most important battles of the great Armageddon has been fought on the old field of that name, and the unspeakable Turk has been completely abolished from that part of Palestine. That he may never return is the devout wish of all lovers of liberty.

It is a significant coincidence that the name of the British general commanding in Palestine is Allenby. This is taken as the fulfillment of an old prophecy that the Turks would be overcome by a great general named Allah-En-Bey. The powers of evil are being slowly but surely overcome.

We take pleasure in expressing our thorough appreciation of the splendid co-operation of the Knights of Columbus with the Civic Association in connection with the Narberth Patriotic Fete. Their committee has been most enthusiastic at work. The model battleship was the first structure completed in Narbrook Park, and their full page advertisement in this issue (paid for at regular rates) is additional evidence of their active and hearty support of the enterprise.

Through the untiring activity of Mr. S. A. Rudolph, 2d, the services of the St. Francis de Sales band of 50 pieces have been secured for both evenings of the fete, and Saturday afternoon, without cost other than that of transportation. In view of the high cost of bands, this is a most important and

### WARNING!

A borough ordinance prohibits the riding of bicycles on the sidewalks. It is dangerous to pedestrians. Parents instruct your children accordingly.

timely contribution, and will enable the managers to turn over a much larger sum to war objects than would otherwise be possible. We understand that they will not only play at intervals during the fete, but accompany the Liberty Sings, and furnish music for the dances, and take part in the children's pageant and baby parade.

All of the committees in charge of the Fete have been actively and faithfully at work in preparation of the great event, and the present outlook is that it will be a great success in every sense of the word. Those who are working so hard with this end in view deserve the highest commendation. It now remains for the general public, who have not had time to devote to these preparations, to give the Fete their hearty support by purchases of goods offered, and patronage of the various amusement features presented. There will be games and dances, a good supper, cakes, candies, cigars, fancy and useful articles of all kinds. Go to the Fete prepared to buy, and remember that 75 per cent. of the net proceeds go to war objects.

It is very encouraging, as well as gratifying, that Our Town has succeeded in procuring the services of Mr. C. L. Clegg, of Narberth, as advertising manager of Our Town.

At a recent meeting of the Civic Association, at which Mr. Clegg attended, it was plainly shown to the directors that our paper was incurring a deficit each week in regard to the printing of the same. When the fact is considered that all who are instrumental in getting out Our Town week by week volunteer their service, such a condition as a deficit should not be.

No doubt Mr. Clegg will help solve this condition of affairs in his new undertaking, and with the active work of the subscription department at the Fete which opens tomorrow (Friday) at Narbrook Park, we hope Our Town will be placed on a basis where it is at least self-sustaining.

We believe the residents of our borough are desirous of having Our Town continue its weekly visit. This can be proven by your support when the solicitors call on you.

### SOLDIERS IN FINE HEALTH

Death Rate in Army Much Lower Than in Civil Life

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Sept. 19.—Health of American troops at home and overseas continues remarkably good.

The Surgeon General announced that for the two months' period ending August 31 the death rate of the entire army was 2.18, compared with the death rate of men in civilian life of military age of 6.17.

Health conditions are better among soldiers overseas than among those at home. This is due, the Surgeon General said, to the fact that only men of the best physical condition are sent to France.

### MEN IN DRAFT AGE

Men from 19 to 20 and 32 to 36 will be called as soon as classified, beginning about the middle of October.

The 19-20-year classes will be called ahead of the 32-36 classes. The bulk of the 18-year classes will not be called until the 37-45 classes are called. That probably will not happen until early next spring.

All 21-year men have already been called, except those who arrived at their 21st birthday June 5 last, and registered August 24. These will be called as soon as they can be classified, and will be inducted into the army ahead of the new registrants.

Men of 18-20 who are prepared to enter college will be inducted into the army October 1, and sent to their colleges, where they will be organized into students' training corps.

The colleges can take only 166,000 of these men. Any surplus will have to enter the army as they are called.

### THE FOURTH LOAN IS THE FIGHTING LOAN

As the campaign for the fourth Liberty Loan approaches the American army in France moves on toward Berlin. Under our own leaders the great American army has won a notable victory.

The fourth Loan must be a great success. The fourth Liberty Loan is a fighting loan.

When our soldiers on the battle front are braving death, each one

offering to make the supreme sacrifice for his country and the great cause, we who remain safely at home surely should give them every support, should make every sacrifice to strengthen them. If we cannot fight ourselves we can make our dollars fight.

It is a great cause for which America is engaged in this war; it is a great struggle in which the very hope of the world is bound up that is being waged in Europe and on the high seas. It is an honor to have a part in it and all Americans, all of their lives, will be proud of the part they had in it or ashamed of their failure to do their part.

The fourth Loan is a fighting loan. Every subscriber to the Loan strikes a blow for liberty, for victory.

To the Editor of Our Town:

As a citizen of Narberth, I regret very much to state that the request made by the Government that automobiles are not to be used on Sunday has been complied with in our borough, with one exception.

It does not seem to me that riding to church is an excuse. I cannot help but think that if the family in question does have to ride to church, they could use their horse and carriage and not cause the citizens who are complying with the Government's request to feel disgraced at the actions of people who do not want to do as the Government asks them. If every body was as inconsiderate as this, the Government could not be blamed for shutting off pleasure cars entirely.

I think this matter has been handled in a very judicious manner by the Government and as an American citizen I am proud to see the way the majority of people have heeded this request. Surely it is not ignorance in this case, and no doubt if this had happened in other communities, it would have brought forth results which would not have been very pleasant for the people who were responsible.

The least we can do is to help the Government and the boys "over there."

### An Automobile Owner.

Langhorne, Pa., Sept. 19, 1918.  
To the Editor of Our Town:

I have just seen for the first time a copy of Our Town for August 22, which contained an account of Mrs. Bye's death. As the blame for the accident is there made to rest upon Miss Escherick, who was killed with Mrs. Bye, out of justice to her family I would appreciate it if you would publish the following correct statement of the facts, although they are somewhat late in reaching you.

On August 20, Miss Escherick, a cousin, invited Mrs. Bye for a short pleasure trip in Miss Escherick's car. Mrs. Bye and I were visiting my mother in Langhorne at the time. Upon approaching Woodbourne crossing they stopped to let a local train pass. As the gateman then raised the gates, they started to cross and were struck by an express speeding toward Philadelphia on the inside track. Two coroners' juries have found the watchman negligent, and he has been held without bail to await the action of the Grand Jury. Neither of the ladies appears to have been in any way at fault, as they observed due precautions in approaching the track, and did not go ahead until invited to do so by the raising of the gates. The crossing is an extremely dangerous one, it being impossible to see a train approaching from either direction until within 18 feet of the rails.

Raymond T. Bye.

### ALUMNI PLAY

Reserve Saturday evening, October 12, for the alumni play. The proceeds are for installing a telephone between the two buildings.

### RAIN CHECKS

If it rains on Friday and Saturday—both days—the Fete will be held on succeeding Friday and Saturday, October 4 and 5.

If it rains on Friday, September 27, the Fete will be held on Saturday, September 28, and Monday, September 30.

If it rains on Saturday, September 28, the Fete will be held on Friday, September 27, and Monday, September 30.

## YOUR SOLDIER BOY

Is Doing a Man's Job "Over There." He Will Appreciate and Welcome These Comforts:

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The Brightest Spot in Narberth

A Drug Store in the Most Modern Sense of the Term

### CUB'S WEEKLY LETTER

way some of it has climbed up on Lew's pathways.

To the Editor of Our Town:

The local War Chest Committee is in anything but a pleasant frame of mind, in view of the number of pledge breakers on its list. What's a pledge? Well, apparently with some it's a mere "scrap of paper," to recall Von Bethman Hollweg's historical remark. It must be a sad awakening to the committee which received these pledges, which were apparently made in good faith, to find that there are so many fourflushers in the world—so many getting "by" with a great big bluff, and incidentally playing a cheap trick on the boys at the front. This doesn't go for the fellow who has been compelled to renig for reasons beyond his control.

Harry Parker indulges in just one fishing trip a year. He does that under compulsion and with anything but a pleasing grace. He doesn't care for fishing, at least he didn't until about two weeks ago, when he happened to be on one end of a line, to the other end of which a six pound weakish had accidentally caught itself. Harry now thinks fishing is the finest sport in the world and has given up golf. He has also applied for membership in the Main Line Fishing Club, an organization which he formerly sniffed at. By all means keep out of his way for a while, or you will hear about that big fish—it's growing larger with the telling.

Watch out for the "Belgian widow" when you go to the Fete. If the Belgians are all of the same ample proportions as this young lady, it's not difficult to understand what is becoming of all of the food stuffs this country is sending to the land of King Albert.

Lew Hess is much disturbed over the fact that the Street Commissioner is using the roadway in front of his house as a storage yard for several carloads of fine broken stone. Just take a look at the southeast corner of Windsor and Dudley and you will see the pile of stuff which has blocked the street all summer, at least, so Lew says. It flows all over the sidewalks on one side and across the road to Ray Jones' residence on the other. In some unaccountable

Narberth boys seem to be holding their own in the army and navy. Here's Eddie Miller, who enlisted as private about nine months ago and by dint of hard work, has finally received a first lieutenant's commission. That's pretty rapid promotion for a fellow who had never before done any army service.

Don't forget the Patriotic Fete to be held at Narbrook Park on Friday and Saturday, the 27th and 28th.

"Cub."

### PEACH STONES ARE WANTED

Peach stones are wanted by the government. These pits make the best charcoal for the soldier's gas masks and they are needed. Kindly clean them and leave them in box at back of 112 Essex avenue, home of Mrs. W. W. Cameron.

A prize will be given to the boy or girl who collects the largest number of these stones.

### A FINE ITALIAN BOOTH

According to plans, the Italian booth at the Patriotic Fete next week promises to be one of the best and most interesting in the whole celebration. It will be entirely in the hands of the Italians of Narberth, who are working under the direction of Mr. Ligrest, of Wayne avenue, the chairman. In addition to other features, this booth will have a fine exhibit of fruits and flowers.

### Why Go To City?



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Will Reopen September 18th, 1918  
125 WINDSOR AVENUE

# A RARE BASEBALL TREAT

Big League Boys to Star in Benefit Game to Be Played at Ardmore  
Narberth Boys to Play in Game



MANAGER FRED WALZER, OF THE  
NARBERTH BASEBALL CLUB

On Saturday afternoon of this week, an unusual treat is in store for those who are desirous of seeing a good game of baseball, which will, no doubt, remain long in their memory.

Manager Walzer has arranged a game between Narberth and the Autocar team at Ardmore, for the benefit of the boys of the Main Line and neighborhood who are in the various German camps, held as prisoners of war.

The following men have promised to play for the Narberth team:

Eddie Collins of the White Sox,  
Amos Strunk of the World's Champions,  
George Burns of the Athletics,  
Hans Lobert of the New York Giants,  
Ralph Mattis of the Pittsburgh Feds.

With Jack Jefferies catching, Bob Hood pitching, Vernon Fleck left field and John Dickie, short stop, Narberth will be well represented in this game as to our local boys.

No admission to the game will be charged, but all donations will be gratefully received, as all of the receipts go to a worthy cause, as stated.

Donations will be received by the Red Cross members, who will be on the grounds at the time of the game.

**REMEMBER—SATURDAY AFTERNOON AT ARDMORE**

## News of the Churches

### MERION MEETING HOUSE

Merion Meeting House is opened for worship every First-day at 11 A. M. Visitors are cordially welcome. A registry book is kept for visitors. All are asked to register their names.

### ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH

Rev. R. F. Cowley, Rector

Early Mass on Sunday from April 1 to October 31 at 7 A. M. From November 1 to March 31 at 7 A. M. Late Mass, 9.30 A. M. throughout the year. Masses on holidays, 6.30 and 8.30 A. M. Weekdays at 8. Evening devotions and other services at regular times.

### ALL SAINTS' P. E. CHURCH

Rev. Andrew S. Burke, Rector

The services at All Saints' P. E. Church, Montgomery and Wynnewood avenues, for next Sunday are as follows:

8.00 A. M.—Holy Communion.  
9.45 A. M.—Sunday school.  
11.00 A. M.—Morning prayer and sermon.

The Sunday school sessions have been resumed and the rector desires to have each teacher and scholar on hand at 9.45 next Sunday morning, and if possible have a friend with you.

Dr. Burke is home from his vacation and will officiate at all of the services next Sunday.

You are most cordially invited to come and worship with us, the pews are all free, and you will be most welcome.

### METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

"The Little Church on the Hill"

Rev. F. M. Gray, Pastor

Sunday, September 29:  
Sunday school, 9.45 A. M. Men's class taught by the Hon. F. W. Stites, 10.00 A. M.  
Morning service, 11 A. M.; sermon

by pastor, "Christ's Standard of Greatness."

Epworth League, 7 P. M. Leader, John Schaffer.

Evening service, 7.45 P. M., will be a union, patriotic and temperance rally at the Narberth Presbyterian church.

Wednesday, September 25, 8 P. M. prayer meeting. Fourth talk by pastor on subject, "About Jesus." Letters to be read from Sergeant Russell M. Lukens, Batt. D, 108th Field Artillery, 28th Division, A. E. F.; Stanley M. Lukens, U. S. S. Drechterland. These two brothers are sons of Mrs. Ida E. Lukens and are both members of our church.

Sunday, October 6, Rally Day. Special services all day. Full notice in next week's paper.

Our church has charge of the country store at the Patriotic Fete this Friday and Saturday. Everybody is urged to make this fete a great success.

### THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. John Van Ness, Minister

Meetings for next Sunday:  
10.00 A. M.—Sunday school. All departments.

11.00 A. M.—Public worship. Sermon on the theme, "Why America."

7.45 P. M.—Union temperance meeting under the auspices of the Dry Federation of Pennsylvania. Illustrated address by Dr. William M. Woodfin.

### Church Notes

Last Sunday Mr. Edward U. Smith was elected president of the Men's Bible Class.

Preparations are being made for the celebration of Rally Day on the first Sunday of October.

A Junior Christian Endeavor Society was organized last Sunday evening and the following officers were elected: President, Martha A. Martin; vice-president, Joseph Snyder; secretary, Elizabeth M. Metzgar; treasurer, Lois D. Smith.

There will be a special meeting of the deacons at the church next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

### BAPTIST CHURCH OF THE EVANGEL

Avery D. Denmy, Pastor

Services Sunday as follows:  
9.45 A. M.—Bible school.  
11.00 A. M.—Morning worship. Subject of the sermon, "Human Responsibility."

7.00 P. M.—Baptist Young People's Union. Report of the Nominating Committee.

7.45 P. M.—Union Temperance meeting in the Presbyterian Church.  
Wednesday, 8.00 P. M.—Song and prayer service.

### Church Notes

The church and Bible school are planning to hold Rally Day, Sunday, October 13. One of the special features of the day will be a patriotic exercise in the evening at which time the pictures of the boys from the church in the country's service will be thrown upon the screen and messages from them will be read.

## SPECIAL NOTICE TO TWINS

There is to be a special class bringing up the rear of the baby parade for twins of all ages.

There will be a prize for the most attractive pair. Will all mothers of twins kindly call up Mrs. C. T. Moore, Narberth 675-M, and give their names to her, as this is to be a special feature.

Here's a Chance For Narberth Boys and Girls to Fill Their Thrift Stamp Cards

Instead of begging dad for a quarter, get out and hustle for subscriptions to "Our Town."

For each \$1.00 subscription to Narberth's bright little paper given to Miss Maizie Simpson at the Civic Association Booth, Friday or Saturday, September 27th and 28th, during the Narberth Patriotic Fete, one Thrift Stamp will be the prize.

# Narberth Register

Two Lines, 10c per issue; 5c for each additional line

**ACCOUNTANTS**  
Kelm, H. C. Certified Public Accountant, 202 Dudley ave. Phone, Narberth 300-W.

**ADVERTISING**  
Cole, W. Arthur, Phone, Spruce 1638. Ideas, Plans, Copy, Art, Typography.

**AUTOMOBILES**  
Censore, Sable To hire, Phone, 1289 or 625.  
Lees' Garage—Repairing, Etc. Phone, 1605. See display advertisement in this issue.

**BANKS**  
Merion Title & Trust Co. Phone, Ardmore 3. See display advertisement in this issue.

**BUILDERS**  
Smedley, Wm. D. Phone, 600. See display advertisement in this issue.

**CANDY, ETC.**  
Davis, H. E. Phone, 1254-W. See display advertisement in this issue.

**CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS**  
Jenkins, Chas. L. 103 Dudley ave. Phone, 382-M.

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Shand, A. C. Jr. Commercial Trust Bldg., Phila. Phone, Spruce 5263; Narberth 1214-J.

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Orr, Dr. A. L. 101 Elmwood av. Phone, 393-W. Phila. Phone, Filbert 4252. Keith Bldg.

**DRUGGISTS**  
Howard's, Phone, 1267. See display advertisement in this issue.

**ELECTRICIANS**  
Fuch, Verl 235 Iona ave. Nar. Phone, 650-W. Ard. Phone, 163-J.

**FISH AND OYSTERS**  
Imperial Grocery Co. Phone, Narberth 606. See display advertisement in this issue.

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Primrose Flower Shop, Ardmore, Pa. Cut flowers and plants, funeral designs.

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Walton Bros. Phone, 672. See display advertisement in this issue.

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Bowman, Samuel P. (Life), 116 Elmwood ave. Phone, 653-W.

**Irckhardt, Miller.** General Insurance, 100 Maple ave. Phone, 659-M.

**Jones, Chas. R.** 305 S. Narberth ave. Phone, 682-J.

**Jones, Wm. J.** 103 S. Narberth ave. Phone, 680-J. Phila. address, Penn Mutual Bldg.

**Trotter Bros.** (Elec. etc.), 209 Woodside ave. Phone, 1262-R.

**LAWYERS**  
Gilroy, John 211 Essex ave. Phone, 1245-R. Phila. address, Lincoln Bldg.

**Stites, Fletcher W.** 413 Haverford ave. Phone, 372-W. Phila. address, Crozer Bldg.

**LIGHTING FIXTURES**  
McDonald John, Narberth phone, 1288. 1533 Chest. st., Phila. Phone, Spruce 3138.

**MEATS, ETC.**  
Cotter, Howard F. Phone, 1298. See display advertisement in this issue.

**Crist, Frank.** Phone, 368. See display advertisement in this issue.

# PHONE TO WALTON BROS.

NARBERTH 672

When you want automobile trips, furniture moved, packages carried, freight hauled, automobiles stored, etc.

## BABY PARADE

All entries for the baby parade for Saturday afternoon, September 28, will kindly be at Dr. Hoffman's corner, Forrest and Windsor avenues, at 2.30 o'clock sharp, as the babies have to be classed and the parade starts promptly at 3 o'clock. It will march along Windsor avenue to Narbrook Park, where the judges (strangers from out of town) will review them, and after the awarding of the prizes, the children will be handed over to the parents or custodians of them who will be asked to be there at the finish.

Arrangements have been made to have the intersecting streets roped off so that traffic may be suspended during the time it will take the parade to pass.

The Home Guards have kindly agreed to look after this important matter.

There will be four classes from which to choose the prettiest:

Class A from 1½ years down.  
Class B from 1½ years to 3.  
Class C from 3 years to 4½.

Juvenile class from 4½ to 5 inclusive (all under 6).

A prize for the youngest.  
A prize for the fattest.

A prize for the most physically attractive.

A prize for the most attractive twins of any age.

A prize for the most artistically decorated vehicle, including coaches, go-carts, wagons.

Novelty class, including floats, etc. Each child will please bring a flag.

Please send all entries as soon as possible to any member of the Baby Parade Committee published in this paper.

## NARBERTH WEATHER REPORT FOR WEEK ENDING SEPTEMBER 21

	High.	Low.
Barometer, sea level...	30.05	29.83
Thermometer .....	82	43
Humidity, percentage ..	100	69

C. D.

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Brynclowis Certified Milk (Pediatric Society)	WEST PHILA. OVERBROOK
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Cream Buttermilk	BALA-CYNWY NARBERTH
Table and Whipping Cream.	ARDMORE WYNNEWOOD

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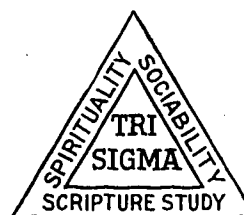
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10 A. M. Sunday

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Subject:

"Amos—The Prophet of Social Justice"

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

Two cents per word each insertion, cash in advance. No advertisement accepted unless cash accompanies copy.

**OCEAN CITY FURNISHED COTTAGE FOR SALE CHEAP**—Within few feet of ocean, three stories, basement, ten rooms, bath, electric light, view of ocean from every room, large porches. Price, \$3500. Small amount of cash required from quick buyer. Box 164.

**FOR SALE**—A few household articles for sale Thursday and Friday, 11 Iona avenue.

**WANTED**—Women to do cleaning and dusting four mornings each week, from 8 to 12 o'clock. Good wages. Address Box 973, Narberth, Pa.

**FOR SALE**—Large packing boxes, barrels and excelsior. One Good Luck gas stove, cash, screw, and can opener. Reward if sent to P. O. Box 820.

**FOR SALE**—White enamel bed, complete, "Chiffonier" and ladies' dress form. Mrs. W. Wright, 51 Montgomery avenue, Narberth, Pa.

**SHORT Patriotic Rally**  
Between the Acts of  
**"THE JONAH"**  
On Saturday, Oct. 12th  
IN THE  
High School Auditorium

Short Address by MR STITES

Solo by MISS FRIEDA SCHNEBEL



## THE FIRESIDE

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triotic sermon in the Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning on the theme, "Why America."

The British booth wants a good, large picture of the King and Queen of England, and any British generals or officers. Phone Mrs. C. W. Young, chairman, Narberth 375.

The Knights of Columbus representation will be taken care of by parishioners of St. Margaret's Church, and excellent displays can accordingly be expected.

For artillery, automatic rifles, and small arms, and for ammunition for them, we have spent over \$3,700,000. Every Liberty Loan subscriber helps to arm our soldiers.

Blanks for use in taking subscriptions for Our Town are ready for the use of the girls and boys of Narberth. Remember, for every \$1 subscription taken, a Thrift Stamp is given to the "getter."

Mr. Lloyd H. Daily and Miss Ruth A. Ojerholm were married at the Presbyterian Manse last Saturday evening. Mr. Daly is an enlisted sailor and at present stationed at League Island.

Lieutenant George O. Smith, of Windsor avenue, who has recently returned from France, where he spent two months in the front line trenches, will be one of the speakers at the Fete in Narbrook Park.

The Sorority Girls are aiming to have the FEATURE of the Fete with their Japanese Tea Garden and Dahlia and Chrysanthemum decorations. These decorations will be for sale. Gifts and flowers are solicited. Phone Miss Wipf for particulars.

The U. S. Army Canteen Booth Committee promises a 50-cent platter supper worth going after. If you want to be sure of getting it, send quickly to the treasurer of the committee, Mrs. Chambley, 106 Grayling avenue, for tickets—good for either Friday or Saturday evening. Tickets, 50 cents each.

The Fete Committee is delighted to announce that the Red Cross booth, which is in charge of Mrs. Fletcher Stiles, chairman, and Mrs. Dr. Hoffman, is arranging to have a fine exhibit of war relics which will be well worth seeing. This information reached us too late for publication in the Book of the Fete.

Word has been received from Pittsburgh of the sudden death of Mrs. Robert H. Brown, mother of Mrs. William J. Loughlin, of Chestnut avenue. Mrs. Brown is survived by a sister, Mrs. Samuel Ellis, and brother, Justice Robert S. Frazer, of Pittsburgh, and daughter, Mrs. William J. Loughlin.

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Lower Merion taxpayers showed their thrift in the large payment of taxes received at the office of Township Treasurer Gane during the week ending last Saturday, which was the last day to save the discount on township taxes and the penalty on county taxes. The receipts on Friday passed \$82,000 and on Saturday \$76,000 and for the week about \$500,000 was received.

Every one should note the appeal for new and cast-off clothing for 10,000,000 suffering Belgians. Outer clothing, under garments, shoes, coats, gloves, etc., for men, women and children. Take everything you can spare to Red Cross rooms in the Y. M. C. A. or leave at the post office this week, September 23 to 29. Do it at once! Carpet and burlap are being used for shoes and clothing by the Belgians.

A tense drama of patriotic inspiration, sweetened by true love, is the greatest of spy plays, "Inside the Lines," to be shown at the Palace

Theatre, Ardmore, on next Wednesday afternoon and evening. Spies, love, intrigue and adventure, all blended in gripping episodes of thrills and emotion in which the hero outwits the German spies. This play was one of the first stage war plays shown on Broadway and a notable success in New York and elsewhere.

Owing to the shortage of labor during the summer, some of the lots in Narberth Park, where the Patriotic Fete will be held next week, have not received the attention which their owners would doubtless like to have given them. But in view of the coming celebration, and the fact that there will be a good many visitors in town during the two days, it is hoped that all lot owners in Narberth Park will make a special effort between now and next week to clean up the ground and put everything in good condition.

You may not be able to fight, but you can save and buy War Stamps.

Some are on the tramp,  
Some are in the air,  
Patriots buy War Stamps,  
But slackers don't care.

Stop, look, listen!  
To help the cause,  
Buy War Savings Stamps  
From Leitch or Haws.

While our boys are in the camps  
We are growing wiser,  
By buying War Savings Stamps  
To help lick the Kaiser.

Dr. William M. Woodfin will give an address in the Presbyterian Church Sabbath evening at 8 o'clock. This will be a union service of all the churches of the town. His subject will be, "How the Huns Wage War." Dr. Woodfin was sent as a representative of the Federal Council of Churches to France to make a survey of army conditions. While there he met Pershing, gained access to the battle front, obtained almost a hundred stereopticon views, which he gives with this lecture. He has a message direct from the battle front that is worth hearing. Do not miss hearing this noted speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Smith entertained on Saturday evening, September 21, in honor of their son Earl F. Smith, who was home from Buffalo, N. Y., on a five-day furlough. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and flags. Their guests included the Misses Dorothy Jane Young, Mildred Donaldson, Gertrude Johnston, Jean Chalfont, Mildred S. Smith; Messrs. Roy E. Webb, Roy H. Webb, from U. S. Navy Yard; Earl Mueller, Russell Kneeder, John H. Swisher, Dr. Gordon W. Schurch, Earl F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harry Schurch, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Condon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Hipkiss.

### BABY PARADE

One of the most important events of the Patriotic Fete will be the Baby Parade on Saturday afternoon, September 28.

All mothers are asked to enter their babies as soon as possible. As there are many lovely babies in Narberth, we want to have them ALL in the parade. All children four years and under are considered babies. There will be prizes in the form of Thrift Stamps.

Kindly phone any of the following Committee for particulars: Mrs. E. C. Town, Mrs. Royden Hunt, Miss Jeanette Turner, Mrs. G. M. Colesworthy, Mrs. C. T. Moore, Chairman.

### NO COMMUNITY MARKET ON SATURDAY

Owing to the importance of the Narberth Patriotic Fete, there will be no Community Market in town this week. A "sample" Community Market will be held at the food conservation booth next Friday afternoon at the Narberth fete. The committee which has conducted this market is asking for small but select donations from the people whose produce has been sold at the market during the summer. The proceeds on Friday will all go into the Fete treasury. Donations can be left at the apartments, 104 Forrest avenue.

**THE Narberth Guard**  
drills every Thursday  
evening in the Fire House,  
7.45 to 8.45

## BUILDING AND LOAN NOTES

The last meeting of the Narberth Building and Loan Association will be remembered for a long time to come, as the firehouse had a good many callers during the evening; some came to receive their checks covering the payment of the first series, but others came to start the new series. Those who were fortunate enough to have started in the first series all had a smile when it came to receiving their checks, and some of those checks were good sized ones, too. Most of the Old Guard thought it would be so queer not to have to pay as much as usual at the monthly meetings that nearly all took out the same number of shares in the new series that matured in the old one, so they would feel at home. Now that new series, the twenty-sixth, was some husky youngster before the evening was over. The final returns showed that four hundred and seventy-one shares had been sold, making it the second largest series that has been issued, and as it isn't too late to buy stock in this series, we have no doubt that there will be enough more sold at the next meeting, October 3, to make it the banner series of the association.

It's a good sized job to pay off one series, open a new series and collect the dues all in one evening with the business meeting afterward, but that was all accomplished without a hitch at the September meeting. The entire board of directors attended the meeting. The president, Mr. J. Howard Wilson, hurried home from his Maine vacation in order to be there and was kept busy telling his many friends what a fine trip he had. The vice-president, Mr. William D. Smedley, acted as Santa Claus and presented the checks in payment of the first series, and it is hard to decide who had the largest smile, our genial vice-president or the ones to whom he handed the checks.

The secretary, Mr. Thomas C. Trotter, commonly known as "the Judge," was the busiest man there, and we sometimes wonder how he can check all the accounts as they are called off, answer questions and yet always have a pleasant greeting for all the stockholders.

Our treasurer, Mr. William B. Godfrey, handled the cash as usual and was about even with Judge Trotter in greeting his many friends among the stockholders.

And when we say the entire board of directors were present, we mean that they were not only present, but as busy as they could be with the work of the association. Mr. C. H. McCarter lays aside the cares of the school board on building and loan nights and is very seldom absent from a meeting. Our friend, A. P. Redifer, forgets the many perplexing questions that bother him as a Councilman and lives in purely a building and loan atmosphere at our meetings. Mr. Carden Warner is also a director that seldom misses a meeting and has a pleasant word and a smile for his many friends. Our Cynwyd director, Mr. William B. Kraft, is another member of the sunshine type whose judgment is of much benefit to his fellow directors.

Mr. C. S. Powell comes faithfully from Ardmore to attend every meeting of the board and his advice is also much sought by his fellow members.

Mr. H. C. Fritsch, one of our Narberth directors, handled the opening of the new series in his usual efficient manner. The borough treasurer, Mr. E. P. Dold, is also a faithful attendant and always has a pleasant word for his many friends. And last come the two new directors, Mr. C. B. Metzger and Mr. W. S. Howard, who have been on the board only part of the past year, but both of these have shown an interest in the Narberth Building and Loan Association equal to the older directors and when the entire board is compared and judged by other building and loan boards, Narberth may feel certain that the comparison is a favorable one and that the affairs of the association are in good safe hands and will be ably conducted.

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS AT NARBERTH POST OFFICE

Mr. L. W. Duckett  
Miss Lizzie Gates  
Mrs. Paul Kellog  
Mrs. Harry Skinner  
Edward S. Haws,  
Postmaster.

## LAST WORD ON BABY PARADE

All entries for the baby parade will kindly be on hand Saturday at 2.30 P. M., Forrest avenue, north of Windsor, as the babies have to be classed, and the parade starts at 3 o'clock promptly.

All babies who for various reasons have not been reached by any member of the committee and have not sent in their names, may do so at 2.30 on the day of the parade at the starting point, Dr. Hoffman's corner.

When the children are brought to the meeting point, mothers will please deliver them to the person in charge of the class in which they belong, as follows:

Class A, 1½ years and under, in charge of Mrs. G. M. Colesworthy.

Class B, 1½ years to 3, in charge of Miss Jeanette Turner.

Class C, 3 years to 4½, in charge of Mrs. E. C. Town.

Juvenile class, 4½ years to 5 inclusive, in charge of Mrs. R. J. Hunt.

Twins, in charge of Miss Jean Chalfant.

There will be sign boards to designate the different classes, and it will simplify matters if the babies will be taken right to the point on Forrest avenue, north of Windsor, marked for their class, where the lady in charge of that class will give them their number and place in the line.

Each child will please carry a flag. The parents may assume the responsibility of the child as soon as the prizes are awarded at the judges' stand at the entrance of Narbrook Park.

As we were unable to get the complete list of names of the entries by Thursday of last week when the program went to the printers, there will be a revised list printed.

Babies may be entered right up until 2.30 Saturday afternoon if brought to the starting point of the baby parade.

## THE REGISTRATION

Local Board No. 1 of this county, which takes in Lower Merion and Cheltenham townships and Narberth borough, reports that 4358 men registered on September 12 under the new draft law that included all men from 18 to 45 years of age.

Of this number about 3000 were from Lower Merion, 900 from Cheltenham and 450 from Narberth.

There were 3317 native born citizens, 264 naturalized citizens, 59 citizens by father's naturalizing before they became of age, making a total of 3640 citizens.

There were 269 aliens that had not taken out their first papers for naturalizing and 449 that have not declared their intention to become naturalized citizens, making a total of 718 aliens.

Of the above number 4025 were white, 331 negroes, one Oriental and one Indian.

The ages were divided as follows: 234 were 18; 212 were 19; 210 were 20; 17 were 21; one was 24; one was 27; two were 30; 154 were 32; 315 were 33; 290 were 34; 380 were 35; 260 were 36; 300 were 37; 327 were 38; 261 were 39; 239 were 40; 252 were 41; 257 were 42; 254 were 43; 226 were 44, and 266 were 45.

The declarant aliens were divided as follows: Belgium, 1; Ireland, 61; England, 51; Scotland, 9; Wales, 2; Canada, 12; France, 1; Italy, 69; Russia, 15; Denmark, 1; Netherlands, 1; Sweden, 4; Central America, 1; Austria-Hungary, 17; Germany, 15.

The non-declarant aliens were divided as follows: Belgium, 2; Ireland, 69; England, 32; Scotland, 7; Wales, 1; Canada, 7; Italy, 241; Russia, 30; Denmark, 1; Netherlands, 1; Norway, 2; Spain, 1; Sweden, 1; Switzerland, 3; Mexico, 10; Austria-Hungary, 23; Turkey, 4, and Germany, 1.

The members of Local Board No. 1 have been rushing the work of getting the registration cards made in duplicates and the lists prepared for the mailing out of the questionnaires.

Have you a surplus supply of vegetables in your garden? If so, they will be greatly appreciated at the Holiday House. No amount is too small to send. Please leave them before noon, any day, on the back porch at 110 N. Essex avenue, the home of Mrs. Harry W. Derby.

A man is foolish to borrow trouble if he can find another man foolish enough to lend him money.

## SUFFRAGE NEWS

The Suffrage party will have the British booth at the Narberth fete and hope that all friends of Suffrage will patronize it.

Captain Frank Schwab, late Royal Artillery, who served in France for five and one-half months with the Twelfth division (Kitchener's first 100,000), was in Egypt attached to Australian army (Egyptian Expeditionary Force). Invalided home from France with rheumatic fever, invalided from Egypt with heat stroke and heart attack from which he is still suffering, will be at this booth to make addresses and tell us some very interesting truths.

This booth will also have charge the Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps. Many other articles will also be on sale.

### Red Cross

At the Narberth fete the Red Cross will have charge of the French booth, with an exhibit of war relics kindly loaned by Mr. Norton, who had charge of the French exhibit at the Earle stores, and also some relics loaned by some of our town folks.

We hope that every one will remember to reserve some cash for this booth and also enjoy the things exhibited.

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### WANTED FOR THE BELGIANS

New or worn clothing of strong material for men, women and children this week, September 24 to 29. Deliver to Red Cross room, Y. M. C. A. Building, or post office.

### Have You Any Japanese Lanterns?

How about those Japanese lanterns that you have had around your house for several years, wondering just what you would do with them—hesitating about keeping them because you didn't know when you might ever use them, and hesitating to throw them away because you feared that you or some of your friends might have some unexpected use for them one of these days? How about 'em, we say?

Well, the time has arrived; they are needed in the Narberth Patriotic Fete and this is your opportunity to put them to good use. Get in touch with Mrs. Edward Odell, chairman of the Canteen Committee; Mrs. Charles W. Young, chairman of the British Booth Committee, and Miss Maude Wipf, chairman of the Japanese Booth Committee, and tell them just how many Japanese lanterns you have. These ladies need quite a number to use in making the decorations for the celebration and will appreciate every assistance you can give them. Write your name on a small piece of paper and paste it on the bottom of each lantern and it will be returned to you.

Even if you only have two or three or four lanterns, don't hesitate to offer them. Mrs. Odell, Mrs. Young and Miss Wipf will appreciate your kindness and can use every lantern they can get.

### THE LONGEST NOVEL

The longest novel in the world belongs to Japan. Its author is Kiong Te Bakin. It was commenced in 1852 and published volume by volume as it came out, over a period of fifty years. There are 106 volumes, 106,000 pages, 3,180,000 lines and about 38,000,000 words. A complete copy weigh 130 pounds.

"See here, you swindler!" exclaimed a suburban property owner. "When you sold me this house you said that in three months I wouldn't part with it for \$10,000!"

"Well, you haven't, have you?" demanded the real estate man.

Red Cross wool distributed  
at Red Cross Workroom in Y.  
M. C. A., Monday, Wednesday  
and Friday.